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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PCT/JP99/05266 -filed September 28, 1999

Re:

Application of Honchin EN, Masayuki HAYASHI, Dongdong WANG, Kenichi

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Our Ref: Q63594

Dear Sir:

The following documents and fees are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and in accordance with Chapter II of the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- ☐ an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☑ an English translation of the International Application.
- ☐ an English translation of Article 19 claim amendments.
- ☐ an English translation of Article 34 amendments.
- an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form.
- ☑ an International Search Report (ISR) and Form PTO-1449 listing the ISR references.
- ☑ a Preliminary Amendment

The Declaration and Power of Attorney and an Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

It is assumed that copies of the International Application, the International Search Report, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by § 371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned can provide them upon request.

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In the attached English translation of the International Application, the amendments of the Article 34 Amendment filed with respect to claim 1 have been incorporated. For the Examiner's convenience of review, a separate copy of the Article 34 Amendment is also submitted herewith.

The Government filing fee, in view of the Article 34 amendments, and after entry of the Preliminary Amendment, is calculated as follows:

Total claims
$$63 - 20 = 43 \times $18.00 = $774.00$$

Independent claims $15 - 3 = 12 \times $80.00 = 960.00
Base Fee \$860.00

TOTAL FEE \$2,594.00

You are also directed and authorized to charge the filing fee of \$2,594.00 or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.492 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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Priority is claimed from September 28, 1998, September 29, 1998, September 29, 1998, October 13, 1998, October 30, 1998, December 10, 1998, December 14, 1998, December 28, 1998, April 4, 1999 and July 1, 1999 based on Japanese Application Nos. 10/272799, 10/276010, 10/276011, 10/290450, 10/310445, 10/351572, 10/354,733, 10/372274, 11/106184, and 11/187418.

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